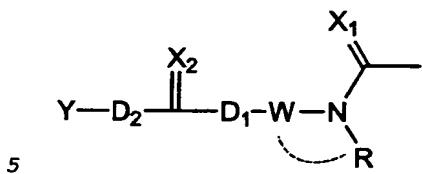


Abstract

The present invention provides a compound having, as a modification group to be eliminated from a prodrug, a group represented by the formula:



wherein each symbol is as defined in the specification. According to the present invention, the development of a prodrug based on the modification of a nitrogen-containing heterocycle and the like has become possible.